

# USE OF ERROR MESSAGE FORMAT WINDOW TO ACTIVATE OPERATOR NOTIFICATION

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Many activity and error messages exist within the CRS software, only some of which are defaulted to automatically alert the operator. The **Error Message Format**, which is available from the **Maintenance** window, allows the operator to define or edit the priority of an activity or error message. It also allows the operator to select a message for operator notification.

As an example, the CRS **Message Type** and **Weather Message** windows contain a **Confirm** flag that indicates whether a confirmation is to be sent to the operator upon completion of the first broadcast of the message on a given transmitter. **Even though the Confirm flag is selected, the assigned error message, (424 - Message Xmit Confirmation) is not defaulted to automatically alert the operator, and consequently no confirmation message will appear in the Alert Monitor window.** System Administrators must enable error message number 424 for operator notification from the **Error Message Format** window before the notification will be displayed in the **Alert Monitor** window when the **Weather Message** completes its first broadcast on a given transmitter. The procedure described below should be used to enable the **Confirmation** message for operator notification; it also may be used to enable for operator notification of any other message by substituting the appropriate activity or error number. **If for any reason the Build 6.0 software is reloaded from the installation CD onto OMP, these error messages must be enabled again by the operator.**

## ENABLE OPERATOR NOTIFICATION FOR ERROR MESSAGE 424

- 1) Click on **Maintenance** and then click on **Error Message Format**. The **Error Message Format** window will be displayed.
- 2) Click in the box to the right of the **Find** button at the lower right of the window. Enter **424** in the box.
- 3) Click on the **Find** button. **Error 424 --[Message Xmit Confirmation]--** will be highlighted in black.
- 4) Click in the circle next to **Medium Priority** and click in the circle next to **Operator Notification**. This will force **Error 424** to appear as a medium priority (color is yellow) message in the **Alert Monitor** window.
- 5) Click on the **Save** hot key. The following message will appear: **Requesting Error Message Format Update** followed by **Error Message Format Update**.

6) Click on **Exit** hot key to exit the **Error Message Format** window.

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